

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT

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### **WEEKLY POLICE REPORT**

September 14, 2020 to September 20, 2020

Westmont Police Department
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# Monday, September 14, 2020

At approximately 6:55 PM, officers conducted a traffic stop in the 400 block of West 55th Street for a moving violation. Officers arrested Kevin Cruz, male, age 31, of 1310 Monomoy Street, Aurora, for driving with a suspended driver's license. He was cited for speeding. He was released on his own recognizance. (20-1160)

At approximately 9:08 PM, officers responded to a delayed report of a suspect that grabbed a teenagers backpack as they were walking through Ty Warner Park. The teenager broke free and fled the area. Officers checked the park and surrounding area but were unable to locate the suspect. (20-1161) https://www.westmont.illinois.gov/DocumentCenter/View/1714

## Tuesday, September 15, 2020

Nothing to report.

### Wednesday, September 16, 2020

It was reported at approximately 2:28 AM, officers responded to the report of an unknown suspect smashing a window on a vehicle parked in the 200 block of East Ogden Avenue. The suspect fled prior to officers arrival. A side mirror and window were damaged. The loss is \$1000. (20-1170)

Sometime between 6:00 PM on September 12 and 9:00 AM, on September 13, an unknown offender removed a political sign from the front yard of a residence located in the 300 block of West 60th Street. The loss is \$10. (20-1173)



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Sometime between 6:00 PM and 8:00 PM, on September 15, an unknown offender removed a political sign from the front yard of a residence located in the 300 block of West 60th Street. The loss is \$50. (20-1174)

## Thursday, September 17, 2020

It was reported sometime between 1:30 AM and 8:45 AM, on September 17, an unknown offender stole a bicycle chained to a sign in the 900 block of South Williams Street. The loss is \$540. (20-1180)

At approximately 3:14 PM, officers conducted a traffic stop in the 200 block of West Ogden Avenue for a moving violation. Officers arrested Taron Boston, male, age 22, of 6118 South Elizabeth Street, Chicago, for driving without a valid driver's license. He was cited for speeding and failure to signal. He was released on his own recognizance. (20-1181)

# Friday, September 18, 2020

At approximately 11:50 AM, officers responded to the 3500 block of MIdwest Road for the report of an unknown suspect that displayed a firearm. The unknown offender left in a black Mercury and was located a short time later by officers in 0-100 block of East Ogden Avenue. Officers arrested Kathleen Shiu, female, age 63, of last known address 1759 35th Street, Oak Brook, for aggravated assault after she pointed an unloaded flare gun at a person she mistook for someone else. She was released on her own recognizance. (20-1187)

It was reported sometime between 12:30 PM and 1:00 PM, an unknown offender entered an unlocked vehicle parked in the 400 block of Lindley Road and stole landscaping equipment. The loss is \$700. (20-1189)

# Saturday, September 19, 2020

At approximately 2:38 AM, officers responded to the 6700 block of Lakeshore Drive for a disturbance. Officers arrested Jose Garcia, male, age 29, of 6704 Lakeshore Drive, Westmont, for domestic battery after shoving a household member and biting them. He was transported to DuPage County Jail for a bond hearing. (20-1192)



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At approximately 3:31 PM, officers conducted a traffic stop in the 6000 block of Cass Avenue for a moving violation. Officers arrested Rochell Campbell, female, age 23, of 22 West 60th Street, Westmont, for driving with a suspended driver's license. She was cited for operating a vehicle while using an electronic communication device and suspended registration for noninsurance. She was released on her own recognizance. (20-1195)

## Sunday, September 20, 2020

At approximately 2:19 PM, officers conducted a traffic stop in the 0-100 block of East Ogden Avenue for a registration violation. Officers arrested Joseph Venturella, male, age 29, of 266 Kansas Street, Frankfort, for driving with a suspended driver's license. He was cited for improper use of registration. He also had an outstanding warrant from Palos Park Police Department for driving with a suspended license. He was released after posting 10% of \$25,000 on the warrant. (20-1200)

NOTE: IN ALL INCIDENTS WHERE AN ARREST OCCURRED, A CHARGE IS MERELY AN ACCUSATION AND THE ARRESTED PERSON IS PRESUMED INNOCENT UNLESS PROVEN GUILTY.

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